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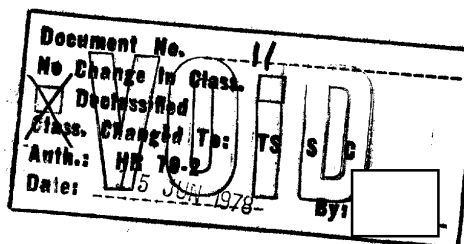
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1. The offices of the Technisch-Wissenschaftliche Regierungskommission, a com-
mission working in East Germany for the Russian Ministry for Electro-Industry,
are located on the premises of the TNO (former AEG transformer factory at 83
Wilhelminenhofstrasse, Berlin-Oberachse) but work independently from this
plant. Its staff consists of Russians and some Germans. Supervision of the
Technical Bureau in the Soviet Zone belongs to the duties of the Commission.
It is also engaged in forwarding the essentials of all German patents to Mos-
cow. A German, Nellies, a former employee of the AEG Apparatefabrik Treptow
(now SAG AT) is employed by the Commission as technical translator. Nellies
translates an average of 300 old German patents per month and forwards abstracts
of them to Moscow. The Commission also receives copies of all recent German
patents from the German Patent Office in Berlin-Lichtenberg and forwards them
to Moscow.
2. The Commission is, furthermore, engaged in development work of its own. In
the latter part of October 1949, it was occupied with development of electric,
automatic welding to be applied in ship construction, and had successfully
developed equipment and methods for welding uninterrupted lengths of between
20 and 30 meters.

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